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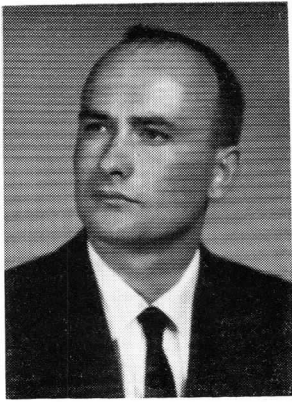


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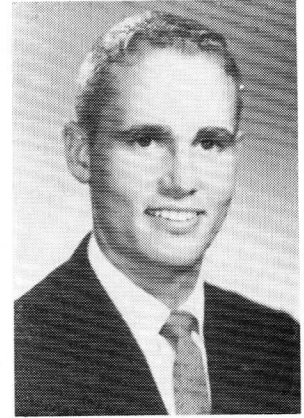
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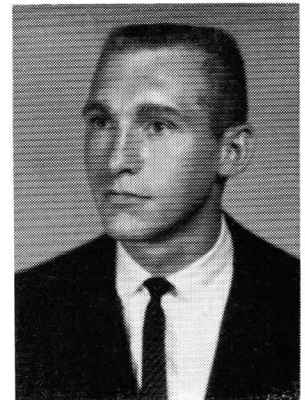
GEORGE ANDERSON, Forest Management, is from Armstrong, Iowa. He is married and went to the 1958 summer camp in New Mexico. George worked in the San Saabel National Forest in Colorado. His hobbies are fishing, hunting and sports. He was the Assistant Alumni Editor for the Ames Forester. George wants to work for the Forest Service after graduation.



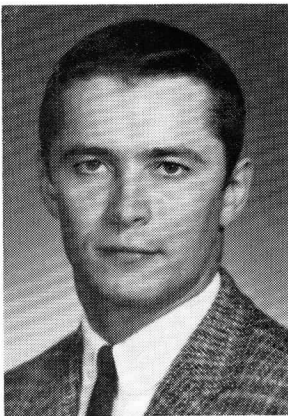
PHILLIP ANDERSON, Forest Management, is from Central City, Nebraska and was with the 1958 New Mexico Summer Camp. Phil has worked on the Mendocino National Forest one summer and plans after graduation include the service. He is a gun fan and likes to work on model airplanes. Phil belongs to the Delta Sigma Phi social fraternity.



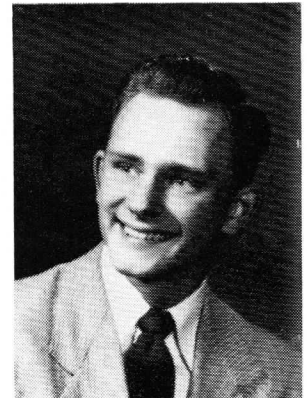
ROGER BRINCK, Forest Management, from Rochester, Minnesota was a member of the 1958 summer camp which was held in New Mexico. Roger has worked for the Minnesota Conservation Department and the Potlatch Forests Incorporated, at Lewiston, Idaho. He has been active in the Holst Tract, was secretary-treasurer for Livingston House, and worked on the Veishea Open House for 1959. His hobbies include camping and boating. He plans to work for either the government or private industry upon graduation.



JERRY COVAULT, Forest Management, from Guthrie Center, Iowa, attended the New Mexico summer camp. He was assistant editor of the Ames Forester and likes to hunt and fix old guns. Jerry has worked for the Rocky Mountain Forest and Range Experiment Station; and after graduation plans on Military service, then working for the Forest Service.



PETER A. CHRISTOPHER, Forest Management, from Sioux City, Iowa took his summer camp training in 1956 at the Deschutes National Forest, Camp Sherman, Oregon. Pete has done farm forestry work in northwest Iowa and claims the usual hobbies of hunting and fishing. His plans after graduation include some time with Uncle Sam and then a job either in the Forest Service or Bureau of Land Management.



DONALD L. DUSKIN, Forest Management, from Creston, Iowa, is married and has one child. He attended camp at Sherman, Oregon in 1955. Don attended Creston Junior College where he was sophomore vice-president, and he has worked with blister rust control on the St. Joe National Forest, Idaho; with timber sales on Quachita National Forest, Danville, Arkansas; and as a forest aid in Willamette National Forest, Lowell, Oregon. Don likes instrumental music, archery, and teaching swimming. He has been a member of the Forestry Club four years and the Society of American Foresters. Don plans to work for the United States Forest Service again after graduation.



NORMAN B. FERGUSON, Forest Products, from Des Moines, Iowa, attended the 1958 summer camp in New Mexico. He lists hunting, fishing, and last, but by no means least, dating as his hobbies. Norm has worked for the U.S. Forest Service and plans to work in some phase of the wood industry upon graduation.

LYLE FICKEN, Forest Management, is from Mason City, Iowa. Lyle attended summer camp in 1958 in New Mexico and has worked as a scaler for the Forest Service at Klamath Falls, Oregon. His hobbies are record-collecting, hunting, and knife-collecting. After graduation Lyle intends to work in timber management for the Forest Service in Oregon.



RICHARD A. GOINS, Range Management, Rowley, Iowa is married and an Air Force veteran. Dick attended the Carolina 1957 summer camp and has worked as a range aid in Nebraska for the U.S. Forest Service. He also worked on pine plantation study for the Southeast Forest Experiment Station. Antique gun collecting and "Type" soil collecting are his hobbies. Dick would like to work for the National Park Service.

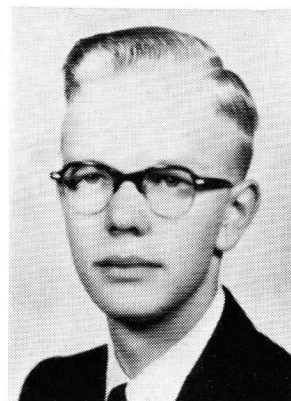
JAMES H. GOTTSACKER, Forest Management, calls Sheboygan, Wisconsin his home. Jim attended summer camp in New Mexico in 1958. He has been very active, having served as Forestry Club president, assistant editor of the Ames Forester, plus working on the 1958 Veishea display and helping out with the Holst Tract and MacDonald Wood projects. He is also co-chairman of 1960 "Forester Day". Jim lists his hobbies as hunting, camping, fishing, and woodworking. He has worked for the Wisconsin Conservation Department and upon graduation plans to work for the State of Wisconsin or go on to graduate school in Forest Economics.



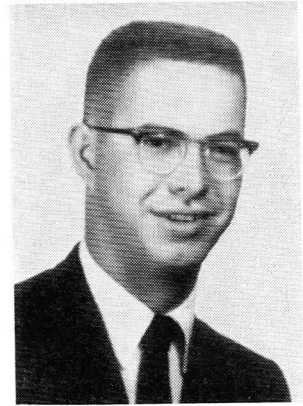
ROBERT L. JOENS, Forest Management, hails from Triar, Iowa. He attended the '57 summer camp held in North Carolina. Bob has worked in Monte Vista, Colorado on timber sales and has been treasurer of the Forestry Club and Sales Manager for the Ames Forester. He has also wrestled for 3 years, been in advanced R.O.T.C., Forestry Club for 4 years, and concession stand chairman for the R.O.T.C.



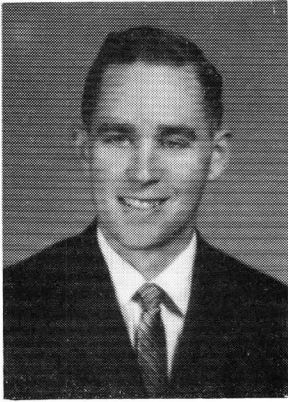
HOWARD G. HALVERSON, Forest Management, hails from Postville, Iowa. Howard went to North Carolina for his summer camp and has worked as a watershed assistant for the Rocky Mountain Forest and Range Experiment Forest, and for the Manitou Experimental Forest in Colorado, and the Sierra Ancha Experimental Forest in Arizona. He was on the Army Rifle Team, was secretary-treasurer of Jones House, Helser Hall; and belongs to the Society of American Foresters. Howard also was the Junior and Senior Representative to the Agriculture Council and has served as president of the Forestry Club. His hobbies include target-shooting, hunting, and fishing. Howard plans to attend graduate school in Watershed Management upon graduation.



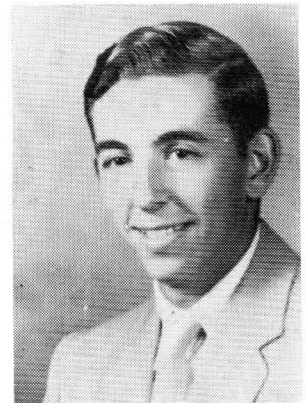
LELAND HANKS, Forest Management, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin is another 1957 Carolina summer camper. Lee has experience as a Village Forester and has served on the Holst Tract Committee. He is a member of the Phi Eta Sigma Honorary fraternity, Farm-House Social fraternity and plans on graduate work.



KEITH F. JENSEN, Forest Management, hails from Fontanelle, Iowa. Keith attended the 1957 summer camp held in North Carolina. He has worked for the I.S.U. Forestry Department for the past two summers. Keith was the secretary of the Forestry Club, belongs to the Society of American Foresters, and the Frisbee Fellowship. Keith likes hunting, fishing, and has his sights set on graduate school after graduation.



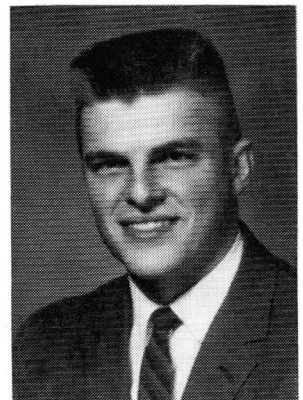
ARNOLD MADSEN, Forest Management, calls Graettinger, Iowa his home. He attended summer camp at Bend, Oregon in 1955. Arnold is a member of the Gamma Delta fraternity and Society of American Foresters. His previous experience has been at the Flathead National Forest, Kalispell, Montana and at the Siskiyou National Forest at Grants Pass, Oregon. His hobbies include hunting, fishing, and photography. Arnold plans to work in the Rocky Mountains after a tour of duty in the United States Army.



DALE K. MESSERCHMIDT, Forest Management, from Shelby, Iowa, is married and attended summer camp at Chippewa National Forest at Wirt, Minnesota. Dale likes mechanics, hunting, and playing cards. Dale hasn't had any previous forestry experience, but plans to work for the United States Forest Service when he graduates.

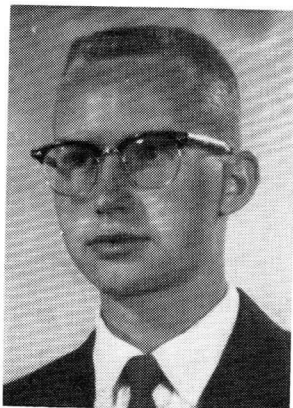


BOB PFISTER, Forest Management, Decorah, Iowa, is married. He was with the 1957 gang in the North Carolina summer camp. Bob likes hunting, fishing, and music. He has worked as a look-out in the Snoqualmie National Forest in Washington, and plans on either working for the Forest Service or graduate school after graduation. Bob was a member of the Forestry Club, I.S.U. Singers and Theta Xi fraternity.



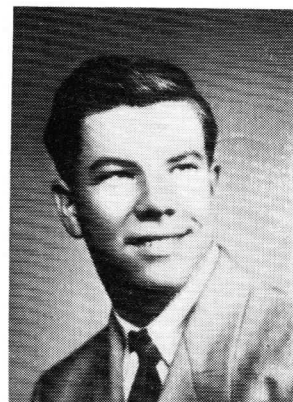
GENE ONKEN, Forest Management, calls Greenfield, Iowa his home. Gene attended the 1958 summer camp in New Mexico and has worked on the Nez Perce National Forest in Idaho and for the I.S.U. Forestry Department. He was vice-president and helped organize the Driftwood, was chairman of the Agriculture Open House in the 1959 Veishea, Delta Tau Delta fraternity pledge trainer, a member of the Sextant Naval Science Honorary, and the Navy Pistol Team. Gene lists his hobbies as outdoor sports, taxidermy, and females. His plans after graduation consist of three years with the United States Navy and then either graduate school or a job with the Forest Service.





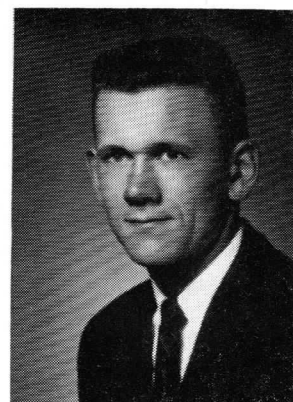
DONALD V. RECKLER, Forest Management, Newton, Iowa attended the 1956 summer camp. He has worked in Oregon on range analysis and on timber-marking in New Mexico. He plans to work for the United States Forest Service after graduation. Don lists hunting, fishing, and most sports as his hobbies.

GEORGE R. SAMPSON, Forest and Range Management, from Estherville, Iowa was with the 1958 New Mexico summer camp. He is the 1960 alumni editor of the Ames Forester, and has served as secretary of the Forestry Club. George likes outdoor sports especially hunting and fishing and has worked on the Superior National Forest, Minnesota; Apache National Forest, Arizona; and the Lassen National Forest, California. As of now George has no definite plans for the future.



JIM SCHELHAAS, Forest and Range Management, hails from Rock Valley, Iowa, Jim attended the 1958 summer camp in New Mexico and lists his hobbies as hunting, fishing, archery, and reading. He has worked for the Forest Service on the Siskiyou National Forest in Oregon. His plans for after graduation are employment with the military service.

DAVID SMITH, Forest Management, is from Cambellsport, Wisconsin, and is the editor of the 1960 Ames Forester. Dave has been a forestry aid with the Wisconsin Conservation Department and worked in the Northern Highland State Forest, Kettle Moraine State Forest, and the Griffith State Nursery. After graduation Dave plans to accept a commission in the United States Navy. He has served as vice-president of Forestry Club, member of the Naval ROTC Pistol Team, Order of the Sextant, and Jr. Steward of Acacia fraternity.



P. H. SOMMERFELD, Wood Utilization, Muscatine, Iowa. Phil went to the '57 summer camp and has worked as a fire lookout and in a millwork factory. After graduation Phil plans a tour with the Army and then private industry. Phil has been most active in college having served three years as art editor and two years as associate editor of the Ames Forester. Besides being a member of Theta Xi social fraternity, he served as chairman of the Leadership Committee for Veishea, and as a member of the Stars Over Veishea Central Committee and Vadvil Central Committee Public Relations. Other activities include Forestry Club, Society for Advanced Artillery Cadets, Festival Chorus, Canterbury Club, Forest Products Research Society, Society of American Foresters, Campus Chest, and Pep Barbeque publicity committee. He also has been awarded a Journalism "I" with two gold stars.

GERRE L. SPENCER, Forest Products, from Woodward, Iowa, is married and has one child. He attended the 1958 summer camp in New Mexico and has worked one year in retail lumber. Gerre is assistant manager and in charge of national advertising for the Ames Forester. His hobbies are hunting and fishing. After graduation Gerre would like to work in industry, or if possible, find foreign employment.



DONALD E. ANDERSON is from Chicago, Illinois and was with the 1956 Oregon summer camp group.. Don worked for the Southwest Lumber Mills Inc., Flagstaff, Arizona one summer; and future plans—after a two-year term in the United States Army—are still indefinite. Don's professional interests are in utilization, mostly plywood and veneers or pulp and paper, with baseball and card-playing as diversions. Don is a member of Alpha Sigma Phi social fraternity, Society of Advanced Artillery Cadets, and participated in all intramurals.

RICHARD T. HAMBROCK, Forest Management, hails from Sutherland, Iowa. Dick is married and took his summer training in 1957 at North Carolina. He has done recreational work for the Forest Service in the Marquette National Forest. His hobbies include hunting and fishing. Dick has no definite plans after graduation.

RICHARD L. HANSON, Forest and Range Management, Des Moines, Iowa. Dick worked in Coeur d' Alene National Forest in Idaho in 1956 and again in Idaho—Salmon National Forest, the summer of 1959. Firearms, photography, target-shooting, and hunting are Dick's special interests. He has been a photographer for the Forester and vice-president of the MRA Camera Club. Dick is married and is planning a career with the Forest Service after graduation.

JAMES BULMAN, Forest Management from Harpers Ferry, Iowa is married and attended the 1954 summer camp. He plans to go on with graduate school and has worked with market survey. Reading is his hobby. Jim has been a member of the Promoters for three years.

JOHN P. MULHOLLAND, Forest Management, Clinton, Iowa, is married and has three children. John attended the 1957 summer camp held in North Carolina. His interests include all sports, hunting, fishing, and pigeons. He had no previous forestry experience. John plans to work for the Forest Service in Oregon or for the Weyerhaeuser Timber Company after graduation.

STEPHEN O. RYAN, Range Management, from Crystal Lake, Ill., has worked as a forestry aid on the Cutfoot Sioux Ranger District, Chippewa National Forest, Minnesota. Steve is married and attended the 1958 summer camp in New Mexico. His plans may include graduate work, otherwise undecided. He lists his hobbies as chess and automobiles.